(ii) The reservation so exchanged is carried forward to the next three recruitment years after which the reservation shall lapse.

3. Ministry of Finance etc. are requested to give immediate effect to those orders.

Sd/-

(K. N. K. KARTHIAYANI). Director

123 *[Transferred to the* 28th *December,* 1989]

CBI investigation Into supply of edible oil by M/s. **Biscomanu** of **Patna**

124. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1216 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 3rd March, 1989 and state:

(a) whether in a similar case of supply of edible oil by M/s. Biscomanu of Patna the former President of Biscomanu and of NCCF incidentally is facing CBI charges in Ranchi, as mentioned by Shri Mohan Katre, Director, CBI in his interview in Illustrated Weekly of India issue of 14th May, 1989; and

(b) if so whether Government propose to refer this matter of NCCF also to CBI so as to link both the cases having similarity and bearing on each other?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI NATHU RAM MIRDHA): (a) and (b). NCCF as also this Department is not aware of any edible oil supphed by Biscomaun of Patna to. their former President who was also President of NCCF. Government are aware of the statement attributed to have been made by Director CBI to the journalist and reported in Illustrated Weekly of 14-5.89.

. Subject matter of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1-216 of 3rd March, 1989 related to Unstarred Question No. 3121 of 19th August 1988 which related to supply of edible oil by NCCF to M/s. Manipur Wholesale Stores, Imphal. It was clarified in the reply that edible oil despatched by NCCF, Calcutta, to M/s. Manipur Wholesale Stores, Imphal was transported by a private transporter. The police inquiry conducted had shown that no misappropriation had taken place in the supply of goods. Further, Central Registrar of Cooperative Societies had passed orders on 20th June, 1968 in favour of NCCF for recovery of an amount of Rs. 21.58 lakhs from the Manipur State Federation alongwith interest.

NCCF internal investigation had shown lapses on the part of the then Regional Manager, East (under suspension) and major penalty proceedings are under progress against him in respect of this particular incident and some others.

There being no connection between the two, question of referring the matter to CBI-does not arise.

Disciplinary action against the guilty officers causing losses to NCCF

125. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to-refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1269 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 5th May, 1989 and state:

(a) what disciplinary action has been taken against the guilty officers for causing losses to NCCF to the tune of Rs. 7 lakhs in the matter of controlled cloth activity; and

(b) if the answer to part (a) above be in the negative, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI NATHU RAM MIRDHA): (a) The NCCF have reported that they did not suffer any loss in the business of controlled